

PATENT APPLICATION

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Inventors: Randy L. Hoffman

Examiner: Thien Tran

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Title:

Semiconductor Device

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

(X) In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, enclosed is the entire "amendments to the claims" section in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121(h)

At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account <u>08-2025</u> pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY

Respectfully Submitted,

Legal Department

Randy L. Hoffman

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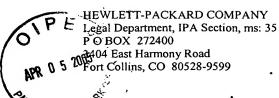
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to Examiner's Office Communication dated March 24, 2005 Applicant attaches as Attachment I a complete listing of all of the claims. In the non-compliant amendment Applicant elected Group I, Claims 1-14, 28-30, and 34-40 in class 257, subclass 411 without traverse. In addition Applicant cancelled claims 15-27 and 31-33 in Groups II and II without prejudice, and reserved their content for inclusion in a continuation/divisional application.

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